

Chambers of Chief Special Trial Judge Peter J. Panuthos

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Peter J. Panuthos
Chief Special Trial Judge

Date of Birth: 1943
Education: Bryant Col 1966 BS; Suffolk 1969 JD; Boston U 1973 LLM
Began Service: June 13, 1983

Affiliation: Adjunct Professor, David A. Clarke School of Law, University of the District of Columbia

Academic: Adjunct Professor of Graduate Tax, Bentley College (1975-1983); Adjunct Professor, Columbus School of Law, The Catholic University of America (2001)

Government: Attorney, Office of the General Counsel, United States Department of Agriculture (1969-1970); Attorney, Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1970-1975); Assistant District Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1975-1983)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American College of Tax Counsel; Federal Bar Association

Staff

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Chambers of Special Trial Judge Robert N. Armen, Jr.

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Robert N. Armen, Jr.
Special Trial Judge

Date of Birth: 1945
Education: Cleveland-Marshall 1979 LLM; Duquesne 1969 BA; Georgetown 1973 JD, 1974 MLT
Began Service: 1993

Academic: Adjunct Faculty, Northern Virginia Community College (1981-1989); Adjunct Faculty, School of Law, University of Baltimore (1988-1990)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Howard A. Dawson, Jr. (1981-1983)

Government: Associate, Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1973-1981)

Staff

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Began Service: 2007
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Lewis R. Carluzzo
Special Trial Judge

Date of Birth: 1949
Education: Villanova 1971, 1974 JD
Began Service: 1994

Government: Associate, Office of Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1977-1994)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1975)

Staff

Secretary **Carolynn Battle** (202) 521-3339

Chambers of Special Trial Judge John F. Dean

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John F. Dean
Special Trial Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Michigan State 1970 BS; Catholic U 1975 JD; Georgetown 1985 MLT
Began Service: 1994

Government: Office of Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1975-1994)

Staff

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Began Service: 2007
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Chambers of Special Trial Judge Stanley J. Goldberg

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Stanley J. Goldberg
Special Trial Judge

Date of Birth: 1939
Education: Maryland 1960 BS, 1964 LLB
Began Service: August 4, 1985

Government: Tax Attorney, General Litigation, Office of Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1965-1967); Tax Attorney, Tax Litigation, Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1967-1976); Special Trial Attorney, Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1976-1984); Assistant District Counsel, Manhattan District, Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1984-1985)

Legal Practice: Associate, Buckmaster, White, Mindel & Clarke (1970)

Current Memberships: The District of Columbia Bar Association

Staff

Attorney-Advisor **Kelly Miller** (202) 521-3370
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Number of Judgeships: 7

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John G. Heyburn II
Chief Judge (Chairman)

Date of Birth: 1948
Education: Harvard 1970 AB; Kentucky 1976 JD
Began Service: 1992
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Affiliation: Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Kentucky

Government: Special Counsel, Office of the County Executive, Jefferson County, Kentucky (1977-1983)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Brown, Todd & Heyburn PLLC (1976-1992)

Military Service: United States Army Reserve, United States Department of the Army (1970-1976)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association; Louisville Bar Association; Louisville Bar Foundation, Louisville Bar Association

Staff

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Chambers of Chief Judge Robert L. Miller, Jr.

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Robert L. Miller, Jr.
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
Education: Northwestern 1972 BA; Indiana 1975 JD

Affiliation: Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Robert A. Grant, United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana (1975)

Judicial: Judge, St. Joseph Superior Court, St. Joseph County (1975-1986)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The American Law Institute; Indiana State Bar Association; Saint Joseph County Bar Association

Chambers of Chief Judge Kathryn Hoefer Vratil

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Kathryn Hoefer Vratil
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1949
Education: Kansas 1971 BA, 1975 JD
Political Affiliation: Republican

Affiliation: Chief Judge (R), United States District Court for the District of Kansas

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Earl E. O'Connor, United States District Court for the District of Kansas (1975-1978)

Judicial: Municipal Judge, City of Prairie Village (1990-1992)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Lathrop & Norquist (1978-1992)

Chambers of Chief Judge Kathryn Hoefer Vratil continued

Current Memberships: American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The Earl E. O'Connor American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Association for Women Lawyers of Kansas City; Federal Judges Association; Johnson County Bar Association; Johnson County Bar Foundation, Johnson County Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association; Kansas Bar Foundation, Kansas Bar Association; Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association; Lawyers Association of Kansas City; National Association of Women Judges; Wyandotte County Bar Association

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Education: Kansas 1988 BS; Pennsylvania 1991 JD
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Education: Kansas 1978 BS; Emporia State 1981 MS; Washburn 1991 JD

Chambers of District Judge J. Frederick Motz

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J. Frederick Motz
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
Education: Wesleyan U 1964 AB; Virginia 1967 LLB
Began Service: 1985
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan
Political Affiliation: Republican

Affiliation: District Judge (R), United States District Court for the District of Maryland

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Harrison L. Winter, United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit (1967-1968)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, District of Maryland, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1969-1971); United States Attorney, District of Maryland, United States Department of Justice (1981-1985)

Legal Practice: Associate, Venable, Baetjer and Howard, LLP (1968-1969); Partner, Venable, Baetjer and Howard, LLP (1971-1981)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; The American Law Institute; The Bar Association of Baltimore City; Maryland State Bar Association, Inc.

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